

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

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UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

-v-

HAMID "RAY" AKHAVAN,

Defendant(s).

CONSENT TO PROCEED BY
TEL/VIDEOCONFERENCE

20 -CR- 188 () ()

Defendant HAMID "RAY" AKHAVAN, hereby voluntarily consents to participate in the following proceeding via videoconferencing:

- X Initial Appearance/Appointment of Counsel
- Arraignment (If on Felony Information, Defendant Must Sign Separate Waiver of Indictment Form)
- Preliminary Hearing on Felony Complaint
- X Bail/Revocation/Detention Hearing
- Status and/or Scheduling Conference
- Misdemeanor Plea/Trial/Sentence

Christopher Tayback
(On behalf of Mr. Akhavan)

Defendant's Signature

(Judge may obtain verbal consent on
Record and Sign for Defendant)

Hamid Akhavan

Print Defendant's Name

Christopher Tayback

Defense Counsel's Signature

Christopher Tayback

Print Defense Counsel's Name

This proceeding was conducted by reliable videoconferencing technology.

1/7/21

Date

Kevin Nathaniel Fox

U.S. Magistrate Judge